

**AGREEMENT TO AMEND THE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CONCERNING ACQUISITION AND CROSS-SERVICING**

The Government of Australia and the Government of the United States of America (the Parties) agree to amend Article VIII of the *Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the United States of America concerning Acquisition and Cross-Servicing*, done at Canberra on December 9, 1998, and which entered into force on September 22, 1999, to read as follows:

"This Agreement, which consists of a Preamble, Articles I-IX, and Annexes A and B, enters into force on an exchange of notes confirming that each Party has completed its requirements for entry into force of this Agreement and shall remain in force until September 22, 2010 unless terminated by either Party giving not less than 180 days notice in writing to the other Party."

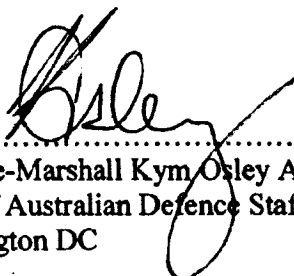
This Agreement to Amend the Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the United States of America concerning Acquisition and Cross-Servicing, done at Canberra on 9 December 1998, shall enter into force on the date of the later note of an exchange of notes confirming that each Party has completed its requirements for entry into force of this Agreement.

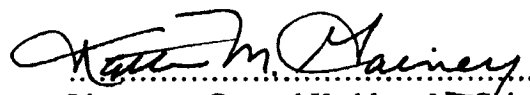
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their governments, have signed this amendment.

DONE, in duplicate, at Washington D.C., this 30 July day of July 2009.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF
AUSTRALIA:

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:


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